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CURRENT TOPICS.

NOTHING could have been of more happy omen for the future conduct of the DREYFUS trial than the manner of M. LABORI's return. It appears to have evoked a genuine outburst of congratulation from friend and adversary alike. No man could go back to a case from which he had been so nearly removed by the sudden hand of death save under the influence of deep emotion, and M. LABORI's emotion was evinced in a speech of singular good taste and good feeling. The concluding words—"the part of error in human things is always greater than that of bad faith"—will not soon be forgotten, and while the advocate is not likely to abate any of his energy on behalf of the defence, the fact that there has been an occasion for the uttering of such a sentiment should do something to mitigate the bitterness of the conflict. The whole incident, too, is a curious illustration of the prominent place which a powerful advocate occupies. In the absence of M. LABORI the interest of the trial drooped; on his return, to quote the words of the *Times* correspondent, "it suddenly became passionately absorbing." The difference is almost as marked to those who can only read the reports. The presence of M. LABORI seems to produce a wholesome effect on judges and witnesses alike.

WE CALLED attention last week to one aspect of the new draft constitution of a High Court for Australasia—viz., the serious question which it raises as to the withdrawal or limitation, by Federal Act, of the prerogative right of the Crown to entertain appeals to the Privy Council by special leave. But it suggests another consideration of an equally important and less controversial kind: how rapidly we are building up throughout the British Empire the foundations, at least on its legal side, of a system of Imperial Federation. Hitherto we have had Canada, with its Supreme Court, as a palmary instance of what is being done in the way of producing a uniform body of law. Now Australasia follows suit. Besides these, there are the central appeal courts of the Leeward and Windward Islands, the whole system of intermediate appeal to Bombay, or the Cape, or Mauritius, or Gibraltar, as the case may be, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts. Behind these external signs of unification there is, apparent to the eye of the student, a steady assimilation of substantial law. Such statutes as the Lunacy, Partnership, Bills of Exchange, and Sale of Goods Acts are already of imperial force and range, and the area of this body of general law is yearly assuming wider proportions. The phenomenon is on all grounds a welcome one. We shall get rid of the tendency to empirical legislation when we know more accurately whether particular ventures have been made in other parts of the English-speaking world, and with what results.

WE COMMENCE printing elsewhere the Statutes of the past Session. Of the fifty-one measures which received the Royal Assent, there are none of first-rate importance. Of those which are of special legal interest attention may be called to the following: The Solicitors Act, 1899 (62 Vict. c. 4), empowers the Master of the Rolls to replace upon the rolls solicitors who have been struck off under section 32 of the Act of 1843 for acting as agents for unqualified persons, and regulates the granting of fresh certificates in cases of restoration to the rolls. The Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1899 (c. 6), which enables appeals to be heard by consent by two judges, has already become a dead letter. The Finance Act, 1899 (62 & 63 Vict. c. 9), imposes new stamp duties on certain foreign securities and on loan capital, extends the existing

stamp duty on share warrants to bearer to other similar securities, and increases the duties on the capital of companies and on letters of allotment. It also reduces the duty on certain bills of exchange. The Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899 (c. 19) gives in a schedule the clauses which are hereafter to be deemed to be incorporated in electric lighting provisional orders. The Bodies Corporate (Joint Tenancy) Act, 1899 (c. 20), enables corporations to acquire and hold real and personal property in joint tenancy, with a provision that on dissolution the property shall devolve on the other joint tenant. And the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1899 (c. 22), introduces an important extension of the summary jurisdiction already existing under the Act of 1879, and, in particular, in the case of children between twelve and sixteen, it applies this jurisdiction by consent to all offences except homicide.

OF LEGISLATION of a social character the following statutes deserve attention: The Metropolis Water Act, 1899 (62 Vict. c. 7), enables and requires the metropolitan water companies to supply each other with water in cases of emergency. The Infectious Disease (Notification) Extension Act, 1899 (62 & 63 Vict. c. 8) make the notification of infectious diseases universal. The Elementary Education Act, 1899 (c. 13), carries further the policy of the Act of 1893, and raises from eleven to twelve the minimum age at which children can obtain total or partial exemption from attendance at school. The Tithe Rent-charge (Rates) Act, 1899, extends to tithe rent-charge attached to a benefice the partial exemption from rates already granted by the Agricultural Rates Act, 1896, in favour of agricultural land, and the owner of such tithe rent-charge will be liable henceforth to pay only one-half the usual rates, the other half coming out of sums payable by the Inland Revenue Commissioners to the local taxation account on account of the estate duty grant. The Commons Act, 1899 (c. 30), enables district councils to make schemes for the regulation and management of commons within their district, with a view to the expenditure of money on the drainage, levelling, and improvement of the commons, and to the making of bye-laws and regulations for the prevention of nuisances and the preservation of order. The Board of Education Act, 1899 (c. 33), provides for the establishment of a Board of Education charged with the superintendence of matters relating to education in England and Wales, to take the place of the Education Department, with power to inspect secondary schools; provision is also made for establishing a register of teachers. The Small Dwellings Acquisition Act, 1899 (c. 44), enables local authorities to advance money to the resident in a house within their district for the purpose of enabling him to acquire the ownership of that house, the advance not to exceed either (1) four-fifths of the market value of the ownership, or (2) £300 in the case of the fee simple or a lease with 99 years unexpired, otherwise £240. And the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1899 (c. 51), amends the law relating to the sale of food and drugs.

THE REPORT by the Inspector-General in Bankruptcy for 1898, which has just been issued, shews an increase of 218 in the number of receiving orders over those for the previous year, the number being 4,292 as against 4,074 in 1897. The respective total liabilities were £6,792,735 and £5,678,498, the later year thus shewing the large increase of £1,114,237. Apparently this is due to the large number of failures of directors of public companies, the liabilities being as much as £1,270,026 in thirty-three cases. In giving the estimated loss to creditors Mr. SMITH has adopted a new basis of computation. Hitherto it has been the practice to take the assets as estimated by the debtors and deduct one third for depreciation and costs of realization. But the actual results shewn in recent years by the tables of closed cases shew that this deduction is insufficient, and the assets distributed among creditors form on an average only about one-third of the estimated assets in bankruptcy and about three-fifths as estimated under deeds of arrangement. Consequently in future it is proposed to reduce the estimated assets in bankruptcies by two-thirds and under deeds by two-fifths. "The smaller deduction made in the case of deeds," says the report, "is mainly due to the fact that the estimates of debtors are, as a rule, much less exaggerated under

deeds of arrangement, such arrangements being rarely resorted to in those cases of speculative financial failures which form so prominent an element in bankruptcy, and in which the assets are generally estimated on a fanciful basis." On this footing the estimated loss to creditors for 1898 is £5,888,295. The special feature in the year's bankruptcy is the large increase of the liabilities under the head of financial and speculative enterprise. There were 28 such cases with total liabilities of £2,549,100, as against 18 cases in 1897 with liabilities of £988,600, and 13 in 1896 with liabilities of £540,800. This great increase of liability is mainly due to 7 cases in which the total liabilities amount to £1,707,000, the largest individual case being that of Mr. HOOLEY with a liability of nearly £491,000. This case differs, however, from the rest in that the assets are of substantial value, being expected to realize upwards of £107,000. The united assets in the other six cases, with liabilities of over £1,216,000, are not expected to realize £4,000. A glance at the details of the cases, in many of which the assets figure as nil or are of nominal value, explains this result.

IN THE BANKRUPTCY REPORT attention is called once again to the existing anomalies as to the bankruptcy of married women. Two recent cases are referred to as illustrations of the manner in which advantage can be taken of the present state of the law very much to the embarrassment of creditors. In *Re A Debtor* (46 W. R. 375) the debtor was a spinster when the bankruptcy petition was presented against her. The petition was at her instance adjourned upon her undertaking that she would not ask for costs, and when it came on for the final hearing she had married. Mr. Registrar GIFFARD held that she was nevertheless liable to be made bankrupt, but his decision was reversed by the Court of Appeal. Formerly a married woman was exempt from bankruptcy altogether, save in the case where she was trading under the custom of the City of London, but, under the Married Women's Property Act, 1882, she may be made bankrupt in respect of her separate property if she is trading separately from her husband. In the present instance it was admitted that, when the petition was adjudicated upon, the debtor was not trading separately from her husband, and upon this short ground the Court of Appeal dismissed it. The other case to which Mr. SMITH refers is *Re Frances Handford & Co.* (47 W. R. 39), where a married woman was trading apart from her husband under the name of a firm. Proceedings were taken against the firm and judgment by default for a sum exceeding £50 was obtained under order 14. A bankruptcy notice was issued against FRANCES HANDFORD and the creditor then discovered that she was a married woman. It is settled that, notwithstanding the liability of a married woman under proper conditions to be made bankrupt, this cannot take place where the act of bankruptcy alleged is failure to comply with a notice founded on a judgment. The notice requires personal payment of the judgment debt, but the judgment imposes no such liability on the married woman herself; it only requires payment out of her separate estate: *Re Lynne* (1893, 2 Q. B. 113). It was argued in *Re Frances Handford & Co.* that, since the married woman had allowed judgment to go by default against the firm, she was estopped from taking this objection, and Mr. Registrar HOPE decided against her, but the Court of Appeal took a stricter view of the effect of the judgment. Although obtained against the firm, it had to be enforced against the married woman, and whatever its form might be, it could not be treated as being a personal judgment against her. Such cases as these shew the difficulties put in the way of creditors by the manner in which the Legislature, while fully emancipating married women in respect of the holding of property, still places them in a favoured position as regards liability for debts.

AN INTERESTING decision as to the power of a man to charge the whole of his property with payment of a sum of money was given by KEKEWICH, J., recently in *Re Kelcy* (*ante*, p. 720). By a memorandum dated in 1869 KELCY purported to charge all his "real and personal estate whatsoever and wheresoever,

and of what nature or kind soever the same may be or consist of," with the payment of £2,500 then advanced. Had these words expressly included after-acquired property there would have been a serious question as to their effect on such property. In *Re Count D'Epineuil* (20 Ch. D. 758), where the charge was on all the chargor's "present and future personality," it was held to be bad with respect to the future property, and although this case is shaken by *Tailby v. Official Receiver* (13 App Cas. 528), it is not clear that it is overruled. A charge on certain future property is not, indeed, bad merely because the property is described generally. Thus an assignment of all book debts owing during the continuance of the security (*Tailby v. Official Receiver*) or of any property coming by will (*Re Clarke, Combe v. Carter*, 36 Ch. D. 348) is good. The objection of vagueness does not lie if the property has come into being and can be identified at the time when the charge has to be enforced. But whether the assignment is good if it covers all future-acquired property is a question still awaiting decision, though, having regard to the cases just cited, it would probably be treated as valid. There seems to be no authority, however, that a man may not charge the whole of his existing property, and as in the present case KEKEWICH, J., held that the memorandum covered only existing property, the charge was supported. It is true that in *Tailby v. Official Receiver* (*supra*) Lord MACNAUGHTEN doubted whether a general charge of this nature could create any specific lien, but this remark has not been the foundation of any decision, and, as KEKEWICH, J., observed, it is not for a judge of first instance to raise the question which the doubt suggests.

### TWO CENTURIES OF CRIMINAL LAW.

#### III.

LAST week we carried our account of the trial of SPENCER COWPER down to the end of the case for the Crown.

COWPER at once opens his own defence in a very long speech. It is not worth following it in detail, for, as he said, there was really no evidence to show that the deceased had been murdered at all. He refers again to a point he had previously taken—quite wrongly—but one which illustrates a worse state of the law, now no longer existing. Six weeks after the death the body had been exhumed without a "*melius inquirendum* or any lawful warrant," and it was proposed at the trial to give evidence of what was then found. COWPER objected that, after the coroner's inquisition, the body should not be disturbed to gratify private prosecutors; if it is done at all, it should be by legal authority—a view which now prevails—"for, if it should be otherwise, any gentleman may be easily trepanned." "But," said the judge, "suppose they did an ill thing in taking up the body without some order, though I do not know any more ill in taking up that body than any other; but however, is that any reason why we should not hear this evidence?" In other words, we must take it for what it is worth.

After the verdict much was said about certain letters from Miss STOUT to himself and someone else which COWPER produced; in modern parlance, he is taxed with ungentlemanly conduct in publishing them. He anticipated the criticism thus: "Some letters of hers must of necessity be produced which truly, as I said, I should not meddle with if I had not these innocent gentlemen here to defend as well as myself. . . . I solemnly protest, if I stood here singly in the case of my own life . . . I would not do it." One of the letters to COWPER certainly shews a disturbed mind; the rest, though odd, are perfectly innocent. The violence of sectarian and partisan feeling at the time may be gauged by such a plea as the following in the mouth of a man like COWPER: "It seems," he says, "the Quakers fancy the reputation of their sect is contained in it, for they think it a wonderful thing—nay, absolutely impossible (however other people may be liable to such resolutions)—that one who was by her education entitled to the 'light within her' should run headlong into the water as if she had been possessed with the devil; of this they think their *soot* is to be cleared, though by spilling the blood of four innocent men. . . . Others, who live in this town and give their opinions of the manner of her death, are possessed

with much prejudice against me, upon feuds that have risen at the elections of my father and brother in this town; and these, with the Quakers, have wholly dressed up this matter for several ends—the Quakers to maintain the reputation of their sect, and the others to destroy, or break at least, the interest of my family in this place." Such allegations are not heard in an English court of justice to-day.

At one point COWPER proposed to read an account of the coroner's inquisition, and put in the verdict, but the judge rightly told him that such evidence was useless to contradict the Crown witnesses; it was quite open to him to prove that they swore one thing now and another then, "otherwise the coroner's inquest signifies nothing as to the present question." Then there is a touch of human nature, shewing that jurymen are the same in all ages and places, always inclined to be irrelevantly pragmatical. One suddenly remarked that they would like to hear the verdict read. "Why," said the judge, "will not you believe what they agree to on both sides?" Juryman: "If they do agree so, I am satisfied." The modern juror is still obsequious to the judge.

After a good deal of evidence, medical and other, hardly cross-examined to at all, COWPER suddenly, just as JONES had done, summed-up so far, remarking that the witnesses for the Crown "say they believe she was not drowned, but they have not pretended to say how she died otherwise." Judge: "That is very true." This piecemeal system may have a convenience of its own, but it obviously tends to multiply speeches.

More than once Mr. STOUT, the deceased's brother, puts a question for cross-examination, his *locus* as the private prosecutor being apparently recognized. Any such interference would now be sternly repressed; the question, if necessary, would be put through counsel. When it becomes a question of Miss STOUT's handwriting, reference is made to her mother and brother in the middle of the defence. It is to be hoped they were not on oath, for this is the style of their evidence: "Mrs. STOUT.—How should I know! I know she was no such person [as the letter might indicate], her hand may be counterfeited. Judge.—But if it were written in a more sober style, what would you say then? Mrs. S.—I shan't say it to be her hand unless I saw her write it"—in other words, I won't admit it because it would damage my case. Mr. STOUT admitted "it is like my sister's hand," but, pressed by the judge, said boldly, "No, I don't believe it, because it don't suit her character." All this would come in its regular order to-day.

Theoretically, of course, a prisoner's mouth was closed, and continued so till last October, but, as a matter of fact, under cover of another little opening of a new part of the case, COWPER managed to give evidence in his own behalf. Latitude of this sort represents the natural way in which an artificial system seeks mitigation. The future Lord Chancellor was called as a witness for the future judge, and thus a situation unique in our legal annals was created.

There is one clear violation of a now settled rule of evidence. The deceased's maid having given an account of her mistress's habits and disposition, a witness is called for the defence, to prove that the girl had always given a totally different account. The question whether the deceased sometimes stayed out all night was hardly material to the issue.

The witnesses to character do not confine themselves to that subject, but go on to protest their belief in the prisoner's innocence, just as if they were in a French court.

There is nothing noteworthy in the defence of the other prisoners, except that counsel for the Crown asks MARSON a question by way of cross-examination. Such a thing is impossible to-day, unless, of course, the prisoner is on oath.

There is a good illustration of rebutting evidence in this case. When the defence is closed, without any speech being made, JONES remarks: "My lord, we insist upon it that Mr. COWPER hath given a different evidence now from what he did before the coroner, for there he said he never knew any distraction, love-fit, or other occasion she had to put her upon this extravagant action. Now, here he comes and would have the whole scheme turned upon a love-fit," and he and STOUT proceed to call witnesses as to what COWPER had deposed at the inquest. Nowadays his deposition would be put in, as the more convenient way of proving what he had previously sworn, but the oral

testimony of witnesses who heard what he said is obviously as much primary evidence as a copy of the deposition. The Crown is allowed to call rebutting evidence, as its case is that it could not anticipate the defence COWPER set up at the trial. STROUT even proposed at this stage to call witnesses to his sister's character, which was not seriously in dispute.

(To be continued.)

## REVIEWS.

### BOOKS RECEIVED.

**Reforms in Land Transfer, with Suggestions for an Improved System.** By DWIGHT H. OLIMSTEAD. New York: Baker, Voorhis, & Co., 66, Nassau-street.

## CASES OF THE WEEK.

### Before the Vacation Judge.

**READ AND BAILEY v. PONCHERY AND THE CRYSTAL PALACE CO. (LIM.).** 23rd August.

**PRACTICE—INJUNCTION—DELAY—THREATENED BREACH OF AGREEMENT NOT TO PERFORM WITHIN CERTAIN DISTANCE—NOTICE OF INTENTION TO COMMIT BREACH—FORM OF ORDER.**

This was a motion on behalf of the plaintiffs, Mr. T. Read and Mr. F. Bailey, against the defendants, Mr. H. R. Ponchery and the Crystal Palace Co. (Limited), that the defendant Ponchery might be restrained till the trial of the action or further order from performing as a high rope artist at the Crystal Palace, Sydenham, or appearing at any other place within twenty miles from the Agricultural Hall, Islington, in breach of an agreement dated the 29th of December, 1898, made between the plaintiffs of the one part and the defendant Ponchery of the other part. Also for an injunction to restrain the Crystal Palace Co. (Limited) or its servants from advertising any performance of the defendant Ponchery as a high-rope artist, or permitting any performance by the defendant Ponchery to take place at the Crystal Palace in breach of the said agreement. In support of the motion it was said that the defendant Ponchery, in spite of his agreement with the plaintiffs, was advertised to appear at the Crystal Palace on Monday, the 28th of August next, at the Foresters' *Fete*. [COZENS-HARDY, J., said there appeared to have been a clear threat to break the agreement.] The plaintiffs had for many years conducted the "World's Fair" at the Agricultural-hall, and they had engaged the defendant Ponchery to appear at the next "World's Fair," as they were so extremely satisfied with his last performance there. For the defendants the Crystal Palace Co., it was said that there was no ground for any suggestion of want of good faith on the part of the Crystal Palace Co. It was not a case for an injunction. The plaintiffs had not shewn proper diligence. On the 9th of August they had clear notice that the defendant did not consider himself bound by the restrictive clause in the agreement, and they did nothing till the 22nd of August. The defendant Ponchery did not appear.

COZENS-HARDY, J.—There will be an injunction against the defendant Ponchery in the terms of the first part of the notice of motion. There will be no order against the Crystal Palace Co. except that costs be costs in the action.—COUNSEL, Alexander, Q.C., and F. Everard Colt; Vernon, SOLICITORS, T. D. Smith; Kimbers & Boltman.

[Reported by J. E. ALDOUS, Barrister-at-Law.]

**ATTORNEY-GENERAL v. URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF TEIGNMOUTH.** 23rd August.

**PRACTICE—INJUNCTION—INFRINGEMENT OF BYE-LAW—ALTERNATIVE REMEDY BY PROCEEDINGS FOR PENALTY—FORM OF ORDER.**

This was a motion in an action by the Attorney-General, at the relation of Messrs. Flemmick & Allen, of Teignmouth, against the defendants, claiming an injunction to restrain the defendants, their officers, servants, and agents from permitting roundabouts and shows to be held on certain pleasure-grounds in Teignmouth known as "the Denn," in breach of the bye-laws of the defendants for the district of Teignmouth duly made on the 28th of February, 1899, and allowed by the Local Government Board on the 7th of November, 1899, and in breach of the bye-laws made by the county council of the county of Devon on the 15th of December, 1898, and from permitting any nuisance in the said pleasure-grounds, and for a declaration that the resolution of the defendants passed on the 10th of August, 1899, that "the council see no objection to allow the roundabouts and shows on 'the Denn'" is *ultra vires* and null and void. In support of the motion it was said that by an indenture dated the 6th of November, 1869, the defendants, the Teignmouth Local Board, acquired the land known as "the Denn" in fee simple. By the indenture the defendants covenanted that they, their successors and assigns, would keep and use "the Denn" solely as a garden or pleasure ground for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of Teignmouth. By No. 3 of the bye-laws made by the defendants, no "person shall erect in any part of 'the Denn' any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building, or structure of any

kind whatsoever." "The Denn" was bounded almost exclusively by residential properties and formed the principal sea front and promenade of the town, which contained between 7,000 and 8,000 inhabitants. A proposal had recently been made to hold a marine regatta at Teignmouth on the 31st of August, and it had been suggested that what was known as Hancock's roundabouts and shows should be allowed to occupy portions of "the Denn" on the occasion of such regatta. On the 10th of August, 1899, at a special meeting of the defendants, a resolution was passed that "the council see no objection to allow the roundabouts and shows on 'the Denn'." If such roundabouts and shows were permitted to occupy a position on "the Denn" they would cause an intolerable nuisance to the inhabitants and injure "the Denn" and the best portion of the town. The penalty under the bye-laws implied a prohibition. The land was acquired for the benefit of the inhabitants and ought to be so used. *Hall v. Ewin* (36 W. R. 84, 37 Ch. D. 74) did not depend upon nuisance; *Attorney-General v. Southampton Corporation* (1 Giff. 363), and *Attorney-General v. Tud-Heatley* (45 W. R. 394; 1897, 1 Ch. 560), shewed that there was jurisdiction to enforce the duty. By clause 16 of the bye-laws made for the county of Devon, "No person shall in any street or public place, or on any land adjoining thereto, or near thereto, use or play, or cause to be used or played, any steam organ or other musical instrument worked by mechanical means to the annoyance or disturbance of residents or passengers. No person shall in any street or public place, or on any land adjoining or near thereto, keep or manage, or cause to be kept or managed, a shooting-gallery, swing-boat, roundabout, or any other construction of a like character so as to cause obstruction or danger to the traffic in any such street or public place." Any person offending against any of the bye-laws was by part 5 of them made liable to a penalty not exceeding £5. For the defendants the granting of a injunction was opposed, but an offer to do anything to expedite the trial of the action was made.

COZENS-HARDY, J., said that the question was really one for decision at the trial of the action. It was not as though the nuisance was a continuing one. It would be for one day only. If bye-law 16 was infringed the relators could take proceedings under that bye-law. There would be no injunction, but he would grant leave to set the action down for trial at once. Pleadings to be delivered in the Vacation. Liberty to apply. Costs to be costs in the action.—COUNSEL, Everett, Q.C., and Maughan; Mulligan, Q.C., and Bateman Napier. SOLICITORS, Roucliffe, Rawle, & Co., for R. W. Temple, Teignmouth; Bridgman & Willcocks, for W. R. Hall Jordan, & Son, Teignmouth.

[Reported by J. E. ALDOUS, Barrister-at-Law.]

## LEGAL NEWS.

### GENERAL.

Mr. Justice Wills will go the South-Eastern Circuit at the ensuing autumn assizes in place of the Lord Chief Justice.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the honour of a knighthood upon Mr. Franklin Lushington on his appointment as chief magistrate of the Metropolitan police-courts.

The next sessions at the Central Criminal Court will begin on Tuesday, 12th September. Mr. Justice Phillimore will be the presiding judge, and he is expected to attend on the following day.

In a letter to the *Times* of the 18th inst., Mr. Rob. Greening says: "We have heard a great deal of the law's delay (which is, however, chiefly attributable to the parties and their solicitors). Let me now report to you an instance of the law's expedition. On the 8th inst. an action was commenced on the Admiralty side of the City of London Court. It went through the usual course in regard to appearance, bail, discovery of documents, &c., but by reason of my opponents being willing to expedite matters was tried on the 15th. It was an important little action as affecting shipowners and consignees of cargoes, and there is no reason why, if parties and practitioners were disposed, many actions relating to shipping matters should not be disposed of in the same time."

At Bow-street police-court, on Tuesday afternoon, says the *Daily News*, Mr. Marcus H. Lewis, solicitor, addressing Mr. Lushington, said he begged leave, on behalf of the profession, to congratulate him on his appointment as chief magistrate. He said those who knew Mr. Lushington were well aware of the kindly and attentive manner in which he dealt with cases brought before him, and the anxiety he always felt to administer true justice to rich and poor alike. He and other members of the legal profession hoped that Mr. Lushington would live long to administer justice in the future as he had done in the past. Mr. Lushington, in reply, said he was very much obliged, and should always strive to do his duty. The new chief magistrate, it is said, speaks several languages, including French, German, and Italian. This, of course, is a great advantage in a court like Bow-street, where foreigners are dealt with every day.

A correspondent of the *Daily News*, referring to the fact that prisoners do not now appear in London police-courts in convict garb, says: "Sir John Bridge, who has just retired, was responsible for the change. About eight years ago a convict was placed in the witness-box to give evidence. He was attired in a yellow suit, ornamented with broad arrows. 'I shall not give evidence in these clothes,' said the convict. 'It's not fair to expose me in this way.' 'Take the Book,' said Sir John, in a severe tone. The convict hesitated, but with an obedience born of prison discipline, and with

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the knowledge that two warders were standing behind him, he took the oath, and gave his evidence. Then Sir John, in kindly tones, told him that his objection was well-founded, and that he would ask the Home Secretary to allow convict witnesses to appear in court in ordinary attire in future. He was as good as his word. The Home Secretary agreed with the chief magistrate, and since then no one has appeared in a London police-court in convict's garb."

A "barrister of forty-eight years' standing" in the course of a letter to the *Times* of the 22nd inst. on the circuit system says: "Lord Campbell not only read, as do doubt all judges then and now do, the depositions in every case, but discussed with his brother judge in the evening and before going into court in the morning every point which he thought might arise in any of the cases. His brother judge on our first circuit was the Baron Parke (Lord Wensleydale), an eminent Common Law special pleader and commercial lawyer; but Mr. Baron Parke took with him on circuit his own two volumes of 'Russell on Crimes,' on every page of which were notes in his own handwriting of points of practice, and reported and unreported cases of criminal law, which—as it seemed to me—he knew by heart, and he answered all Lord O.'s questions by references to these notes and to decided cases. If there is any meaning in the phrase of having a subject at one's 'fingers' ends' it applies to Baron Parke's knowledge of criminal law and practice. Again, the Lord Chief Justice would frequently adjourn the court during a trial, or himself go into the *Nisi Prius* Court to consult with his brother judge on any unexpected difficulty."

### WINDING UP NOTICES.

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#### JOINT STOCK COMPANIES. LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

BROWNHILL MINING SYNDICATE, LIMITED (IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION)—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 15, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to F. O'S. Beade and W. F. Turner, 123, Cannon st. CORNISH SMALLWARE CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 2, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Vivian Pearce, Camborne. Daniell & Thomas, Camborne, solors to liquidator HUDDSON & COLLIER, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 18, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Charles Hodgkinson, 55, Colmore row, Birmingham. Jeffery, Birmingham, solor to liquidator HULL AND GRIMSBY CIRCUS AND PUBLIC HALL CO., LIMITED—Petition for winding up, presented Aug 16, directed to be heard on Aug 30. Hollitt & Sons, 3, Mincing lane, agents for Grimshaw, 1, Manor st., Hull, solor for petitioners. Notice of appearing must reach the above-named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of Aug 29. INDUSTRIAL SYNDICATE, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 12, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. W. E. Clark, 33, Old Broad st., Mayo & Co., 10, Drapers' gdns, solors to liquidator LONDON AND LANCSHIRE ELECTRIC AND GENERAL ENGINEERING CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 30, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to F. A. Franklyn, 48, Upper Thames st.

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#### JOINT STOCK COMPANIES. LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

ANDELANA SHIP CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 20, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Edmund Roberts, 26, Chapel st., Liverpool. "ANDERINHA" SAILING SHIP CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 20, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Edmund Roberts, 26, Chapel st., Liverpool.

CHANDLER'S REWARD GOLD MINE, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 2, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. Arthur Goddard, 46 and 47, London wall. Birchalls, 85, Gracechurch st., solors to liquidator

EGBEMONT AUCTIONEERING CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Thursday, Oct 5, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. John Smith, Town Hall, Egremont. Nelson, Egremont, solor for liquidator ELECTRICAL PIONEER SYNDICATE, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 31, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Arthur Henry Gibson, 39, Waterloo st., Birmingham. Lowe, Birmingham, solor for liquidator HOLMAN'S LUCKY HILL GOLD MINE, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 3, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Edward William Fellgate, 63 and 64, New Broad st.

NEW COOLGARDIE GOLD EXPLORATION AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION (W.A.), LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)—Creditors are required, on or before Nov 15, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Arthur John Davis, St Lawrence House, Trump st., King st.

NEW LOAN TRUST AND INVESTMENT CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 30, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to William Cash, 90, Cannon st.

SOUTHPORT PAVILION AND WINTER GARDENS CO., LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 6, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Thomas Henry Crane & Co. Messrs. Davies & Crane, 211, Lord st., Southport. Threlfall, Southport, solor to liquidators

THOMAS MILLS, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Sept 20, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Main Wilkie, 22, Darlington st., Wolverhampton. Stirk & Co., Wolverhampton, solors for liquidator

WESTRALIA AND RANDY, LIMITED—Creditors are required, on or before Oct 2, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. Arthur Toddard, 46 and 47, London wall. Birchalls, 85, Gracechurch st., solors to liquidator

### FRIENDLY SOCIETIES DISSOLVED.

COLLYCROFT MALE FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Collycroft School, Bedworth, Warwick. Aug 14. FEMALE FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Manor Hotel, South Wingfield, Derby. Aug 8. GRANGE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LIMITED, Northington, nr Alresford, Hants. Aug 14. UNITED WAITERS' PROVIDENT SOCIETY, Porchester Hotel, 8, Leinster pl., Porchester ter., Aug 14.

WARNING TO INTENDING HOUSE PURCHASERS AND LESSERS.—Before purchasing or renting a house have the Sanitary Arrangements thoroughly Examined, Tested, and Reported upon by an Expert from The Sanitary Engineering Co. (H. Carter, C.E., Manager), 65, Victoria-street, Westminster. Fee quoted on receipt of full particulars. Established 23 years. Telegrams, "Sanitation."—[ADVR.]

### CREDITORS' NOTICES.

UNDER 22 & 23 VICT. CAP. 35.

LAST DAY OF CLAIM.

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BIRCH, JOSEPH, Leeds, Innkeeper Sept 15 Ford & Warren, Leeds BOWER, GEORGE, Atherton, Lancaster, Butcher Sept 15 Carr, Atherton BROWN, ANN, Great Torrington, Devon Sept 20 Doe, Great Torrington BURDON, JAMES, Southport Sept 11 Rowcliffes & Co., Bedford row CARTHEW, FRANCIS RICHARD, Dunstable, Bedford Sept 20 Gibbs & Co, Eastcheap CHATTON, HENRY, Durham Sept 16 Tarry & Co, Serjeants' inn, Fleet st. DE'LAIA, CATHERINA ROSINA, Southport Sept 9 Molesworth, Rochdale DOWNING, JOSHUA, Bilham Sept 9 Cameron & Co, Gresham House, Old Broad st. DYKES, REBECCA RACHEL, Brighton Sept 22 Bickley & Lyne, Birmingham EMPSON, JOHN, Chiswick Sept 30 Mathews, Great Russell st. GRAHAM, REV WILLIAM HENRY, Upper Norwood Oct 1 Dommett & Son, Gresham st. HARTLEY, JOHN, Rochdale, Yeoman Sept 23 Jackson & Co, Rochdale ISHERWOOD, MARY ELLEN, Bolton Sept 9 Russell & Russell, Bolton JONES, ELIZA, Sketty, nr Swansea Aug 31 Collins & Wood, Swansea JONES, THOMAS, Market Drayton, Salop Aug 31 Garstide, Market Drayton KITSON, JOHN HAWTHORN, Barwick, Engineer Sept 30 North & Sons, Leeds LOFTUS, GEORGE, Ealing Sept 18 Richards & Co, Finsbury sq. LUND, HENRIETTA, Wilsden, Bradford Sept 30 A & M W Platts, Bingley OGSTON, GEORGE HENRY, Down st, Piccadilly, Analytical Chemist Sept 11 Rowcliffes & Co, Bedford row PAUL, ALBERT JOHN, Acton, Accountant's Clerk Sept 9 Lawrence & Sons, Raymond bridge RANDOLPH, JOHN JAMES, Charles st, Berkeley sq Sept 11 Crawley & Co, Arlington st, St James's SIMON, GUSTAV HEINRICH VICTOR HERMAN AMANDUS, Manchester, Civil Engineer Cooper & Sons, Manchester SPENCER, ANN, Keighley, York Sept 22 Burr & Co, Keighley TARRY, HARRIET SARAH, Golbourne, St George's sq, Regent's Park Sept 20 Johnson & Co, King's Bench walk, Temple WARING, WILLIAM, Preston, General Dealer Sept 2 Ward, Preston WILSON, JAMES BENSON, Cheetham hill, Manchester, Warehouseman Sept 11 Holt & Co, Manchester

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BALL, JOSEPH JOHN, junr, Leavesden Asylum, Herford, Taxidermist Sept 28 Skelton, Lincoln's inn fields BOLTON, WILLIAM, Pendleton, Lancaster, Beer Retailer Sept 12 Walker & Co, Manchester CLARKE, WILFRED JACKMAN, Northampton, Auctioneer Sept 21 Darnell & Price, Northampton CLOSE, EDWARD, Ryde, I W Sept 12 Vincent, Ryde CROMPTON, GEORGE, Salford, Drymalt Sept 30 Darbshire & Co, Manchester DAVIES, DRUHILLA, Shrewsbury, Salop Sept 19 Salt & Sons, Shrewsbury DOWNING, JESSIE ANNIE, Folkestone Aug 18 Hallett & Co, Ashford FOSTER, WILLIAM HENRY, Leeds Sept 23 Nelson & Co, Leeds FOULKES, ARTHUR, Heaton Moor, nr Stockport Sept 9 Higham, Manchester GILLESPIR, JOHN STEWART, Liverpool, Baker Sept 15 Bremner & Co, Liverpool GROVES, THOMAS, Shrewsbury, Salop, Architect Sept 1 Clarke, Shrewsbury HAMMOND, WALTER EDMUND, Newark on Trent, Accountant Sept 21 Larken & Co, Newark on Trent HARIS, FREDERICK MIDDLEBROOK, Goole, Yorks Sept 18 E & T Clark, Goole HIORN, ANN, Royal Leamington Spa, Warwick Sept 9 Moore & Tibbitts, Warwick HIRST, HENRY, Oldham Sept 12 Ponsonby & Carlile, Oldham HUDSON, SUSAN, Bristol Sept 21 Gilmore & Co, Bristol JACOB, FREDERICK, Hampton Wick Sept 21 Pilley, Bedford row JONES, HANNAH, Trellawney Towers, Flint Aug 31 Gamlin & Williams, Rhyl LANE, CATHERINE, Chelsea Sept 8 Nickinson & Co, Chancery ln LANE, FEROUZ WRIGHT, Bristol, Fine Art Dealer Sept 16 Mutlow, Bristol MILLIN, ANN, Ramsden, Oxford, Sept 26 Rawlinsons, Chipping Norton MILNE, ESTHER, Milnrow, nr Rochdale Sept 16 Ripley, Rochdale PASCOE, JAMES, Truro, Labourer Aug 19 Pauli, Truro PAYNE, THOMAS, Hinckley, Leicester Oct 11 Preston & Son, Hinckley ROBSON, THOMAS, Cardiff, Exporting Agent Sept 27 Heitzman, Cardiff SAMUELS, MARY, Grantham, Lincoln Oct 11 Thompson & Sons, Grantham SHAW, DAVID, Biracial, York Sept 23 Farrar & Crowther, Bradford SHAW, SARAH, Biracial, York Sept 23 Farrar & Crowther, Bradford SLEEP, AMELIA, Bristol Sept 29 Shattock & Son, Bristol STEELE, CATHERINE SHAKESPEARE, Liverpool Sept 17 Evans & Co, Liverpool STOTT, JOHN, Bradford, Farmer Sept 18 Morgan & Morgan, Bradford THOMAS, ANN, Trealaw, Glam Sept 7 Davies, Pontypridd WHITE, ELIZABETH, Hammersmith Sept 19 Bachelor & Cousins, Walbrook WHITEFORD, REV WILLIAM ARTHUR, Micholdever, Southampton Sept 21 Filler, Bedford row WHITFIELD, THOMAS, Llansilin, Denbigh, Farmer Nov 1 Minshall & Co, Oswestry WILLIAMS, THOMAS, Rhyl, Flint, Butcher Sept 25 Pierce-Lewis, Rhyl WOOD, REV CHARLES HARRISON, Preston Sept 23 Ascroft, Preston

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ABERDEEN, JAMES CRICK, Haverhill, Suffolk, Builder Sept 18 Bates, Haverhill BALDWYN, WILLIAM, Ashton under Hill, Gloucester Nov 1 Smith & Smith, Evesham BERRY, JAMES, Bournemouth Oct 5 Hughes & Aston, Edgware rd BILLING, EDWIN, Formby, Lancaster, Master Mariner Sept 20 Newman & Kent, Liverpool BUCKLEY, JOHN, Southwark Bridge rd, Camberwell Oct 1 Hicklin & Co, Trinity st, Southwark CAUSTON, REV CHARLES PUREFOY, Stretton on Fosse, Warwick Sept 14 Hores & Co, Lincoln's inn fields CORBETT, RICHARD, Oaken Gates, Salop, Innkeeper Sept 29 Leake, Shifnal DICKSON, JOHN, Nafferton, York Sept 6 Jeannings, Driffield DOBSON, MARY, Penrith, Cumberland Sept 21 Arnison & Co, Penrith ELLIS, MRS ELIZA ANN, Southsea Sept 14 Hores & Co, Lincoln's inn fields GIBBINGS, ASHLEY, Stratford pl Oct 1 Ward & Co, Gracechurch st GOODIER, GEORGE, Leigh, Lancs, Publican Sept 29 Dootson, Leigh

- GRANT, ISABELLA, and JAMES GRANT, Gateshead, Durham Sept 19 Staffurth & Staffurth, Bogor  
 HARRISON, JOHN, Matfen, Northumberland, Farmer Sept 1 LC & H F Lockhart, Hexham  
 HARRISON, JOHN, Loughton, Essex, Chemist Oct 2 Ashley & Co, Frederick's pl, Old Jewry  
 HETHERINGTON, JOHN MUIR, jun, Old Trafford, Manchester Oct 17 Bates & Jellicoe, Manchester  
 HINCHLIFFE, ELLIOT, Leeds, Woolen Merchant Sept 16 Steward & Son, Leeds  
 JACKSON, THOMAS, Wolverhampton Sept 15 Underhill & Thorneycroft, Wolverhampton  
 JONES, LUCY, Gorton, nr Manchester, Innkeeper Sept 29 Chorlton & Son, Manchester  
 KANE,<sup>2</sup> FREDERIC ALEXANDER CAMPBELL, Elizabeth st, Eaton sq Oct 2 Barlow & Barlow, Fenchurch st  
 KING, HENRY JOHN, Richmond Oct 1 Greene & Underhill, Bedford row  
 LAURENCE, WILLIAM, Leeds Oct 21 King & Hughes, Maidstone  
 LEA, LAWFORD, North Nibley, Glos Nov 1 Spofforth, Bristol  
 MILBURN, HANNAH TWEEDY, Byton, Durham Sept 27 Stob & Livingston, Jarrold  
 MORRIS, EMILY ALICE, St Leonard's on Sea Sept 30 Tyrell & Co, Albany et yd, Piccadilly  
 MUIR, ANDREW, Holland park, Merchant Oct 10 Phelps & Co, Aldermanbury  
 PYBUS, ANN, Durham Sept 30 Stewart, Darlington  
 ROBERTS, MARY, Folkestone, Warwick Oct 1 Hogan & Hughes, Martin's in, Cannon st  
 RUSSELL, HENRY, Birmingham, Boot Manufacturer Sept 30 Clarke & Co, Birmingham  
 SONE, EMILY, South Lambeth Sept 19 Greenup & Co, George st, Mansion House  
 SONE, LOUISA, South Lambeth Sept 19 Greenup & Co, George st, Mansion House  
 THOROWGOOD, SAMUEL, Brighton Oct 31 Hillearys, Fenchurch bldgs  
 WAIT, JAMES, North Shields Sept 15 Brown, North Shields  
 WATKIN, ELIZABETH, Pwllheli, Carnarvon Sept 30 Hughes-Pritchard & Rodway, Bangor  
 WENTWORTH, GODFREY HAWKSWORTH, Wakefield Sept 18 Dowson & Co, Surrey st, Victoria Embankment  
 WESLEY, OLIVER, Leicester, Builder Oct 18 Moss & Taylor, Loughborough  
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 AKERS, The Very Rev Canon GEORGE, Commercial rd Oct 1 Radcliffe & Co, Craven st, Charing Cross  
 ASPINAL, JAMES FRANCIS, Felsall, Stafford, Licensed Victualler Sept 30 Evans, Walsall  
 BAILEY, EZEKIEL JAMES, Brighton Sept 26 Cockburn, Brighton  
 BISHOP, EMILY, Bishopston, Bristol Sept 19 Plummer & Co, Bristol  
 BISHOP, EDWIN JAMES, Bishopston, Bristol, Commercial Traveller Sept 12 Plummer & Co, Bristol  
 BISHOP, JOSEPH JAMES, Wandsworth Sept 23 D'Arcy Collyer, Milk st bldgs  
 BLACKEDE, LUCY, Wheelton, Lancs Sept 30 Whitfield, Chorley  
 BLAIR, JAMES, Newcastle upon Tyne Sept 29 Ward, Newcastle upon Tyne  
 BRICKNELL, MARY ANN, Leamington Sept 26 Large & Son, Leamington  
 BROGDEN, JOHN, Menston, York, Wool Merchant Sept 19 Watson & Co, Bradford  
 CARLYLE, MARGARET, YORK, Innkeeper Sept 18 Spink & Brown, York  
 CARRUTHERS, ARCHIBALD, Carey st, Lincoln's inn Sept 30 Belfrage & Co, John st, Bedford row  
 COTTAM, THOMAS, Oldham, Mill Manager Sept 30 R & J Ascroft & Maw, Oldham  
 CRANE, ELIZA, South Notwood Sept 30 Drake & Co, Bred In  
 DESCOU, THOMAS POOLEY, Hayward's Heath, Sussex Sept 25 Cockburn, Brighton  
 ELIAS, RICHARD, Morriston, Tailor Sept 18 Harris, Swansea
- ELLIS, WILLIAM, Fleet, Hants, Farmer Sept 30 Timbrell & Deighton, King William st  
 FANET, PAUL, Leadenhall st Sept 16 Wetherfield & Co, Gresham bldge, Guildhall  
 GILLHAM, FRANK, Twickenham Sept 30 Jones & Co, Liverpool  
 HEPWORTH, EDWARD, Batley, York, Stonemason Sept 26 Breamer, Batley  
 HURLEY, JOHN, Leamington, Warwick Sept 26 Large & Son, Leamington  
 JENNINGS, JAMES MILNES, Driffield, York, Solicitor Sept 23 Ullithorne & Co, Gray's in pl  
 JONES, DAVID, Kenfig Hill, Glam Sept 11 David, Bridgend  
 JUCKES, SAMUEL HENRY, Shrewsbury, Star Collector Sept 11 Morgan, Shrewsbury  
 KEILLER, WILLIAM, Wimbledon Sept 30 Fairbrother, Leadenhall st  
 KELSALL, THOMAS, Stretford, nr Manchester, Farmer Sept 23 Doyle, Manchester  
 LOWE, HENRY, Edgbaston, Warwick Oct 31 Lowe, Birmingham  
 MOLAINED, PETER, St Anne's on the Sea, Lancs Sept 25 Doyle, Manchester  
 MANSER, RICHARD, Wilmington, Kent, Gardener Sept 12 J & C H Ward, Dartford  
 MITCHELL, ANDREW ALEXANDER, Weaste, nr Manchester, Doctor Sept 23 Doyle  
 NORRIS, MARY ANNE, Stratford on Avon, Warwick Sept 22 Marshall, Halifax  
 NORRISH, JANE, Carhampton, Somerset Sept 29 Loosmore, Tiverton  
 NORTHROP, GEORGE SAINT, March, Isle of Ely, Cambridge, Farmer Sept 18 King, March  
 PASBORE, MARTYN WILCOX, Newton St Cyres, Devon Sept 30 Dave, Okehampton  
 RANSOM, SARAH AYTON, Chiwick Sept 30 Toomer, Walbrook  
 RILEY, JON, HALIFAX, Clog Maker Sept 18 Jubb & Co, Halifax  
 ROACH, MARY ANN, Stoke Newington Oct 10 Benjamin, Coleman st  
 ROBERTS, THOMAS, Liverpool, Stock Broker Oct 9 Masters & Rogers, Liverpool  
 ROGERS, JAMES, Inc in Makerfield Sept 5 Rowbottom & Milligan, Wigan  
 RUDING, ROGER, North Finchley Sept 30 Cox & Son, St Swithin's in  
 RYAN, FREDERICK HENRY, West Hartlepool Sept 14 Fryer, West Hartlepool  
 SAGER, WILLIAM, Todmorden Sept 22 Sager & Shaw, Todmorden  
 SANVILLE, ANNA ELIZA, Covedale rd Sept 23 Dale & Co, Cornhill  
 SPURLING, REV JOHN WALTER, Crowthorne, Berks Sept 16 Lawford & Co, Austin friars  
 STEPHENS, General WILLIAM FRASER, Prahran, Victoria Oct 1 Wadson & Mallison, Devonshire sq, Bishopsgate  
 STRATFORD, BARON WALTER, Stanor, nr Sandwich, Kent, Licensed Victualler Sept 29 Mercer & Whitehead, Ramsgate  
 SULLIVAN, Sir EDWARD ROBERT, Brighton Oct 30 Pemberton & Co, New st, Lincoln's inn  
 TARGETT, JOHN, Gravesend, Trinity House Pilot Sept 30 J A & H E Farnell's, Lower Thames st  
 THORNTON, GRACE, Batley, York Sept 26 Breamer, Batley  
 WAKEFIELD, EMMA, Heaton Norris, Lancaster Sept 29 Grundy, Stockport  
 WALTON, MARY, West Sunderland Sept 15 Graham & Shepherd, Sunderland  
 WARREN, CHARLES FREDERICK, Osaka, Japan Sept 30 Tolley, Fancras In  
 WHITE, JOHN GARDNER, Liverpool Sept 18 Grierson & Mason, Liverpool  
 WHITMORE, ADELAIDE ANNA, Eaton pl Sept 18 Leman & Co, Lincoln's inn fields  
 WOODS, MARY ELIZABETH, Sunderland Sept 1 Kidson & Co, Sunderland  
 WOODS, THOMAS HENRY, Sunderland Oct 1 Kidson & Co, Sunderland

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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## RECEIVING ORDERS.

- AUSDEN, GEORGE ERNEST, Smarden, Kent, Baptist Minister Canterbury Pet Aug 12 Ord Aug 12  
 BEAUMONT, JOSEPH, and BENJAMIN BEAUMONT, Headingley, Leeds, Butchers Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 BUTTESFIELD, JOHN, Bradford, Pork Butcher Bradford Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 BYR, WILLIAM, Fishponds, Bristol, Baker Bristol Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 CAMPBELL, SAMUEL, Christian st, Commercial rd, Boot Manufacturer High Court Pet July 97 Ord Aug 14  
 CHAPLIN, SPENCER WILLIAM TINSTLE, Lambeth walk, Licensed Victualler High Court Pet July 26 Ord Aug 14  
 CLARK, ARTHUR, Balham, Boxmaker High Court Pet July 18 Ord Aug 14  
 CLAY, ALFRED, JOHN, Stoke upon Trent, China Decorator Stoke upon Trent Pet July 26 Ord Aug 18  
 CORDON, JOHN, Long Eaton, Derby, Derby Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 DENNIS, CHARLES, New Cle, Great Grimbsy Great Grimsby Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 DE STEDING, HENRY, Randolph crescent, Maida Vale High Court Pet June 5 Ord Aug 14  
 FISHERMAN, GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Scarborough, Tailor Scarborough Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 FULLER, ALFRED CHARLES, Leicester, Grocer Leicester Pet July 28 Ord Aug 13  
 GALLOW, W H, Shirley, nr Southampton, Builder Dorchester Pet May 3 Ord Aug 14  
 GIBBS, SARAH ELIZABETH, Bangor, Schoolmistress Bangor Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 GRILLS, WILLIAM ERNEST, Honiton, Devon, Grocer Exeter Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 GUNNELL, MICHAEL, 84 Astell, Cornwall, Baker Truro Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 HARRIS, JAMES SYDNEY HUBERT, Bournemouth, Provision Merchant Poole Pet Aug 2 Ord Aug 14  
 HAZLIGSTON, WILLIAM, Boundhay, Leeds, Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 HILLARY, WILLIAM FREDERICK, Stoke Charity, Hanl's, Wheelwright Winchester Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 HUBB, GEORGE, Kingston upon Hull, Timber Merchant Kingston upon Hull Pet Aug 3 Ord Aug 14  
 HOMER, THOMAS, see, and THOMAS HOMER, jun, Chorley, Lancs Builders Bolton Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 KING, JAMES ARTHUR, Paignton, Devon, Insurance Agent Plymouth Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 KIRK, JOHN, Leeds, Hay Dealer Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 KNOWLES, GEORGE G, Haverstock Hill, High Court Pet July 11 Ord Aug 15  
 LETTS, CHARLES GEORGE, Canning Town, Clothier High Court Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15
- LLOYD, EVAN, Spottlands, Cardiff, Saddler Cardiff Pet Aug 12 Ord Aug 14  
 LLOYD, JOHN VAUGHAN, Warrington, Builder Warrington Pet July 28 Ord Aug 14  
 MASTERS, WILLIAM EDWARD, Dalston, Builder's Foreman High Court Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
 MERRICK, THOMAS, Newcastle on Tyne, Schoolmaster Newcastle on Tyne Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 15  
 MILLS, ALFRED, Kingley rd, High Court Pet Aug 1 Ord Aug 16  
 MILTON, HENRY, Gravesend, Grocer Rochester Pet July 31 Ord Aug 14  
 OSCROFT, JOHN, Nottingham, Joiner Nottingham Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 OWEN, JOHN, Hadley, Salop, Farmer Madley Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 PEPPER, JAMES, Granby, nr Elton, Notts Nottingham Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 POLLITT, THOMAS HOLLAND, Manley Park, nr Manchester Salford Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
 ROBERTS, JOHN, Nottingham, Joiner Nottingham Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 ROBINSON, WILLIAM, Scarborough, Builder Scarborough Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 SHAW, HERBERT, Leeds, Wine Merchant Leeds Pet July 26 Ord Aug 15  
 SOWDEN, WALTER, Bradford, Coal Merchant Bradford Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 STEGGALL, EDWARD THOMAS, Stamford, Lincs, Bootmaker Peterborough Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
 TAYLOR, HENRY ALFRED, South st, Finsbury sq, Solicitor High Court Pet July 20 Ord Aug 10  
 TAYLOR, WILLIAM JOHN, Southampton, Estate Agent Southampton Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 UNWIN, FRED, Sheffield Garden Tool Manufacturer Sheffield Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
 VERTY, HARRY, Ilkley, York, Tobacconist Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
 WILKINSON, JESSE J, Kingston upon Hull, Joiner Kingston upon Hull Pet Aug 1 Ord Aug 16  
 WILKINSON, JOSEPH, Workington, Cumberland, Bootmaker Cockermouth Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 16  
 Amended notice substituted for that published in the London Gazette of June 18:  
 VELESCU, MIHAI, Manchester, Import Merchant Manchester Pet May 29 Ord June 9  
 Amended notice substituted for that published in the London Gazette of August 11:  
 GODDARD, THOMAS, Walsall, Baker Walsall Pet Aug 4 Ord Aug 4
- FIRST MEETINGS.
- BAXTER, SAMUEL METCALF, Kingston upon Hull, Fruit Merchant Aug 25 at 11 Off Rec, Trinity House ln, Hull  
 BOWEN, EVAN, Maesteg, Glam, Builder Aug 25 at 12 30 11, St Mary st, Cardiff
- BROWN, MARY ELIZABETH, Scarborough, Lodging House Keeper Aug 25 at 11 Off Rec, 74, Newborough, Scarborough  
 BURGESS, HARRY JOHN, Brighton, Sign Writer Aug 30 at 12 Off Rec, 4, Pavilion bldge, Brighton  
 COOPER, SAMUEL CHRISTIAN st, Commercial rd, Boot Manufacturer Aug 25 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 COATES, THOMAS, Hillsden, Bucks, Farmer Aug 25 at 2 Swan and Castle Hotel, Buckingham  
 DIVER, EDWARD, Nottingham Aug 25 at 12 Off Rec, 4 Castle pl, Park st, Nottingham  
 EASTWOOD, ALFRED, and FREDERIC JACOB, Leicester, Boot Manufacturers Aug 25 at 3 Off Rec, 1, Bridge st, Leicester  
 FARMER, LEWIS, Islington, Licensed Victualler Aug 28 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 FIELDHOUSE, WILLIAM JOHN, Leyton, Licensed Victualler Aug 25 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 FISHBURN, GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Scarborough, Tailor Aug 25 at 30 Off Rec, 74, Newborough, Scarborough  
 FRONT, JAMES, Barnsley, Suffolk, Farmer Aug 26 at 1 Off Rec, 8, King st, Norwich  
 GRAHAM, JAMES, Lewisham, Builder Aug 28 at 11 30 24, Railway app, London Bridge  
 GRIFFIN, FRED, Anstey, Leicesters Aug 28 at 12 Off Rec, 1, Berriedge st, Leicester  
 GUNNELL, MICHAEL, 82 Astell, Cornwall, Baker Aug 21 at 12 Off Rec, Boscombe st, Truro  
 HAMMOND, CHARLES WILLIAM, Nunhead, Builder Aug 28 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 HARRIS, HENRY, Long acre Aug 25 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 HAWLEY, THOMAS HENRY, Scarborough Aug 25 at 12 Off Rec, 74, Newborough, Scarborough  
 HOMER, THOMAS, son, and THOMAS HOMER, jun, Chorley, Lancs Builders Aug 20 at 3 16, Wood st, Bolton  
 HURST, JOHN, Hinckley, Boot Manufacturer Aug 25 at 12 30 Off Rec, 1, Berriedge st, Leicester  
 JONES, ERNEST, Northampton, Tailor Aug 25 at 12 30 Off Rec, County Court bldgs, Sheep st, Northampton  
 JONES, JOHN, Treharris, Collier Aug 25 at 3 125, High st, Merthyr Tydfil  
 LEMARS, LESLIE THOMAS, Highbury quadrant Aug 20 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 LETTWS, CHARLES GEORGE, Canning Town, Clothier Aug 25 at 20 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
 NORREYS, JAMES EDWARD, Poole, Dorset, Grocer Aug 25 at 12 30 Off Rec, Endless st, Salisbury  
 PARSONS, JAMES, Cinderford, Glos, Engine Driver Aug 25 at 12 Off Rec, Station rd, Gloucester  
 PEPPER, JAMES, Granby, nr Elton, Notts Nottingham Pet Aug 25 at 12 Off Rec, 4, Castle pl, Park st, Nottingham  
 PREKINS, WILLIAM SHAKESPEAR, Coventry, Commercial Clerk Aug 25 at 11 30 Off Rec, 17, Hertford st, Coventry  
 PROCTER, HENRY, Eldon st, Finsbury pavement, Auctioneer Aug 25 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st

HATLEY, WALTER, West Kensington park, Butcher Aug 29 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st.  
RAYMOND, ANTHONY, Tokenhouse yard, Financier Aug 25 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st.  
BATWARD, HENRY EDWIN, East Grinstead, Grocer Aug 25 at 2.30 Parva, 65, High st., Tunbridge Wells, Kent  
BREES, THOMAS, Treborth, Grocer Aug 29 at 12 Off Rec, 31, Alexandra rd, Swanscombe.  
STANLEY, JOHN WILLIAM, Tondu, nr Bridgend, Glam, Iron Founder Aug 28 at 12 117, St Mary st, Cardiff  
STURT, A. & Co., Newcastle on Tyne, Builders Aug 25 at 12 Off Rec, 30, Mosley st, Newcastle on Tyne  
TRE, ARTHUR CHARLES, Coventry, Plumber Aug 28 at 12 Off Rec, 17, Hertford st, Coventry  
VANE, HARRY KELLY, Northwich, Cheshire, Hardware Dealer Sept 1 at 10.30 Royal Hotel, Crewe  
WILKINSON, JESSE J., Kingston upon Hull, Joiner Aug 25 at 11.30 Off Rec, Trinity House In, Hull  
WILSON, FREDERIC JOHN, Church Garford, York, Colliery Surveyor Aug 25 at 11 Off Rec, 6, Bond terr, Wakefield

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AUDEN, GEORGE ERNEST, Smarden, Kent, Farmer Canterbury Pet Aug 13 Ord Aug 12  
BEAUMONT, JOSEPH, and BENJAMIN BEAUMONT, Headingley, Leeds Butchers Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
BUTTERFIELD, JOHN, Bradford, Pork Butcher Bradford Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
CHAPLIN, SPENCER WILLIAM TUNSTLE, Lambeth walk, Licensed Victualler High Court Pet July 23 Ord Aug 16  
COOKSON, ERNEST GEORGE, Hammersmith, Licensed Victualler High Court Pet July 18 Ord Aug 14  
CORDON, JOHN, Long Eaton, Derbyshire Derby Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
DENNIS, CHARLES, New Clea, Great Grimsby Great Grimsby Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
DEULEY, HENRY JOSHUA HOPKINS, Richmond, Grocer High Court Pet July 6 Ord Aug 11  
EKE, R., Lewisham, Builder Greenwich Pet June 6 Ord Aug 15  
FENWICK, THOMAS, New Broad st, Financial Agent High Court Pet May 16 Ord Aug 11  
FISHERMAN, GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Scarborough, Tailor Scarborough Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
FOUNTAIN, GEORGE FREDERICK, Birmingham, Fishing Rod Manufacturer Birmingham Pet July 27 Ord Aug 14  
GIBBS, SARAH ELIZABETH, Bangor, Schoolmistress Bangor Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
GODDARD, THOMAS, Walsall, Baker Walsall Pet Aug 4 Ord Aug 4  
GOVE, CHARLES, Bishopston, Bristol, Confectioner Bristol Pet Aug 12 Ord Aug 12  
GRAHAM, JAMES, Lewisham, Builder Greenwich Pet Aug 11 Ord Aug 15  
GRAHAM, WALTER MORROW, Hartlepool Sunderland Pet June 20 Ord Aug 12  
GRILLS, WILLIAM ERNEST, Honiton, Devon, Grocer Exeter Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
GUNNELL, MICHAEL, St Austell, Cornwall, Baker Truro Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
HAMMOND, CHARLES WILLIAM GEORGE FRANCIS, Nunhead, Builder High Court Pet July 24 Ord Aug 15  
HAZELHUST, WILLIAM, Roundhay, Leeds Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
HILLARY, WILLIAM FREDERICK, Stoke Charity, Hants, Wheelwright Winchetter Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 15  
HIRST, GEORGE, Kingston upon Hull, Timber Merchant Kingston upon Hull Pet Aug 3 Ord Aug 14  
HOMER, THOMAS, son, and THOMAS HOMER, jun., Chorley, Builders Bolton Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
KING, JAMES ARTHUR, Paignton, Devon, Insurance Agent Plymouth Pet Aug 10 Ord Aug 15  
KIRK, JAMES, Streatham Hill, Licensed Victualler High Court Pet Aug 10 Ord Aug 14  
KIRK, JOHN, Leeds, Hay Dealer Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
LEOPOLD, ALBERT EDWARD, Cecil st, Charing Cross rd, Japanese Merchant High Court Pet June 1 Ord Aug 18  
LETTS, CHARLES GEORGE, Canning Town, Clothier High Court Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
LLOYD, EVAN, Cardiff, Saddler Cardiff Pet Aug 12 Ord Aug 12  
MANTERS, WILLIAM EDWARD, Dalton, Builder's Foreman High Court Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
OSCOFT, JOHN, Nottingham, Joiner Nottingham Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
PEPPER, JAMES, Granby, nr Elton, Notts Nottingham Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
PHILLIPS, JAMES, Gateshead, Durham, Publican Newcastle on Tyne Pet Aug 11 Ord Aug 15  
POLLITT, THOMAS HOLLAND, Manley Park, nr Manchester Salford Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
RAYMOND, ANTHONY, Tokenhouse yard, Financier High Court Pet July 21 Ord Aug 15  
RAYNER, THOMAS, Sheffield, Scissors Manufacturer Sheffield Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
REES, JOHN, Cardiff, Tea Merchant Cardiff Pet Aug 10 Ord Aug 15  
ROBINSON, WILLIAM, Scarborough, Butcher Scarborough Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
SOWDEN, WALTER, Bradford, Coal Merchant Bradford Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
STRIGGALL, EDWARD THOMAS, Stamford, Lincs, Bootmaker Peterborough Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
STRETTELL, WILLIAM, Bradford, Hatter Bradford Pet July 27 Ord Aug 15  
UHWYN, FRED, Sheffield, Tool Manufacturer Sheffield Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 15  
VELLESCU, MIRON, Manchester, Manchester Pet May 29 Ord Aug 13  
VERITY, HARRY, Ilkley, York, Tobacconist Leeds Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 14  
WILKINSON, JESSE J., Kingston upon Hull, Joiner Kingston upon Hull Pet Aug 1 Ord Aug 15  
WILKINSON, JOSEPH, Workington, Cumberland, Bootmaker Cockermouth Pet Aug 14 Ord Aug 16

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HEAPS, CHARLES DENISON, and JOHN WILLIAM HEAPS, Leeds, Lead Merchants Leeds Pet June 23 Ord Aug 1

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## RECEIVING ORDERS.

BARKER, ARTHUR PURSOLOVE, Folkestone, Engineer Canterbury Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
BEDWORTH, ALFRED, Charles, Handsworth, Builder Birmingham Pet July 29 Ord Aug 17  
BERNSTINE, WOLF, Southsea, Tailor Portsmouth Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
CHRISTIAN, JOHN BRYAN, Leicester, Confectioner Leicester Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
CLARKE, GEORGE ALFRED, Walthamstow High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
CROXHAW, HOLDEN, Halifax, Farmer Halifax Pet Aug 19 Ord Aug 19  
ELST, JOSEPH, Luton, Straw Hat Manufacturer Luton Pet Aug 19 Ord Aug 19  
FANGER, & Co., Great Winchester st, Wine Growers High Court Pet July 28 Ord Aug 18  
GILLARD, SAMUEL, Crediton, Devon, Baker Exeter Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 17  
GOATLEY, ALBERT EDWARD, Thornton Heath, Builder Croydon Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
GOMERSALL, JAMES FRANCIS, Croydon, Commission Agent Croydon Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
HODGETTS, J. F., West Brompton High Court Pet June 7 Ord Aug 18  
HOBSON, WILLIAM ALBERT, Putney, Florist Wandsworth Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
HOOKWAY, WILLIAM HENRY, and WALTER GEORGE HOOKWAY, Chudleigh, Devon, Millers Exeter Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
JAMES, ARTHUR, Canton, Cardiff, Sailmaker Cardiff Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
JONES, ROBERT CARADOC, Blaenau Festiniog, Tailor Portmadoc Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
LOW, WILLIAM MITCHELL, Warminster, Wilts, Corn Dealer Frome Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
NOTMAN, GEORGE, Pontypool, Mon, Draper Newport, Mon Pet July 23 Ord Aug 18  
PRINE, EDWARD, Colchester, Veterinary Surgeon Colchester Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
SHORT, WILLIAM HARRY, Walsall, Rope Manufacturer Walsall Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
SMITH, ERNEST, Barwell, Leicester, Boot Manufacturer Leicester Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
STAFFORD, HERBERT, Southsea, Grocer Portsmouth Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
TAYLOR, ALICE, Birmingham, Musicseller Birmingham Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
TAYLOR, JIM, Chesterfield, Publican Chesterfield Pet Aug 19 Ord Aug 19  
WALKER, SYDNEY FERRI, Cardiff, Electrical Engineer Cardiff Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
WARDLE, WILLIAM, Gateshead, Boot Dealer Newcastle on Tyne Pet Aug 16 Ord Aug 16  
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GUMLEY, ARTHUR WILLIAM PATRICK CHARLES BERESFORD THOMAS, Greenwich Greenwich Pet June 21 Ord July 25

Amended notice substituted for that published in the London Gazette of Aug 18:

LLOYD, JOHN VAUGHAN, Warrington, Builder Warrington Pet July 23 Ord Aug 14

## FIRST MEETINGS.

AUDEN, GEORGE ERNEST, Smarden, Kent, Baptist Minister Sept 14 at 9.30, Off Rec, 73, Castle st, Canterbury  
BARKER, ARTHUR PURSOLOVE, Folkestone, Engineer Sept 2 at 11 Off Rec, 73, Castle st, Canterbury  
BEAUMONT, JOSEPH, and BENJAMIN BEAUMONT, Leeds, Butchers Aug 30 at 12 Off Rec, 23, Park row, Leeds  
BERNSTINE, WOLF, Southsea, Tailor Aug 29 at 8 Off Rec, Cambridge junction, High st, Portsmouth  
BRADSHAW, GEORGE, Market Drayton, Cabinet Maker Sept 1 at 11.15, Royal Hotel, Crewe  
BROWN, HARVEY, WILLIAM HENRY BROWN, PHILIP BROWN, and FRANCIS BROWN, Bramley, Surrey, Builders Aug 29 at 12.24, Railway app, London Bridge  
BUTTERFIELD, JOHN Bradford, Pork Butcher Aug 29 at 11 Off Rec, 31, Manor row, Bradford  
BYE, WILLIAM, Fishponds, Bristol, Baker Aug 30 at 12.30 Off Rec, Baldwin st, Bristol  
CHAPLIN, SPENCER WILLIAM TUNSTLE, Lambeth walk, Licensed Victualler Aug 31 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
CLARK, ARTHUR, Balsall, Boxmaker Aug 30 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
CLARK, JOHN, Wheatbarnstead, Hertford, Butcher Aug 31 at 3 Off Rec, 95, Temple chmrs, Temple av  
CLARKE, GEORGE ALFRED, Walthamstow Aug 30 at 2.30 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
COLIN, FRANCIS HENRY, Cardiff, Painter Aug 31 at 11.15, St Mary st, Cardiff  
CORDON, JOHN, Long Eaton, Derby Aug 30 at 11 Off Rec, 40, St Mary's gate, Derby  
COWLEY, JOHN, New Swindon, Wilts, Fitter Aug 30 at 11 Off Rec, 46, Crickleade st, Swindon  
DE STEDING, HENRY, Maidis Vale Sept 1 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
GODDARD, THOMAS, Walsall, Baker Aug 30 at 11.30 Off Rec, Walsall  
GOVE, CHARLES, Bristol, Confectioner Aug 30 at 12 Off Rec, 2, Bristol  
HARLEHUST, WILLIAM, Roundhay, Leeds Aug 30 at 11 Off Rec, 92, Park row, Leeds  
HEGSTROM, WILLIAM HENRY, Aston juxta Birmingham, Slaters Aug 30 at 11.15, Corporation st, Birmingham  
HILLARY, WILLIAM FREDERICK, Stoke Charity, Hants, Wheelwright Sept 1 at 3.15 Off Rec, 172, High st, Southampton  
HIRST, GEORGE, Kingston upon Hull, Timber Merchant Aug 29 at 11 Off Rec, Trinity House In, Hull

JAMES, THOMAS WILLIAM, West Bromwich, Schoolmaster Sept 4 at 12.15 County Court, West Bromwich  
JONES, ALFRED, Birmingham, Carpenter Aug 31 at 12 174, Corporation st, Birmingham  
KIRK, JOHN, Leeds, Hay Dealer Aug 29 at 12 Off Rec, 22, Park row, Leeds  
LLOYD, EVAN, Spofforth, Cardiff, Saddler Aug 30 at 12 117, St Mary st, Cardiff  
LLOYD, JOHN VAUGHAN, Warrington, Builder Sept 1 at 13.30 Court House, Palmyra sq, Warrington  
LOW, WILLIAM PITMAN, Warmister, Wilts, Corn Dealer Aug 30 at 10 Off Rec, Baldwin st, Bristol  
MARSHALL, RICHARD JOHN CLINCH, Bromley, Builder Aug 29 at 11.30 24, Railway app, London Bridge  
MERRICK, THOMAS, Newcastle on Tyne, Schoolmaster Aug 30 at 12 Off Rec, 30, Mosley st, Newcastle on Tyne  
MILTON, HENRY, Gravesend, Grocer Sept 8 at 11.30 115, High st, Rochester  
NEUFLIETS, JAMES, Birmingham, Tailor Aug 31 at 12 174, Corporation st, Birmingham  
NOAKES, JAMES HENRY, Hollington, Sussex, Bricklayer Aug 29 at 2.45 County Court Office, 24, Cambridge rd, Hollington  
OWEN, JOHN, Hadley, Salop, Farmer Sept 4 at 11.30 Off Rec, 42, St John's hill, Shrewsbury  
PARKER, GEORGE FRANCIS, Emley, nr Wakefield, Blacksmith Aug 29 at 11 Off Rec, 6, Bond ter, Wakefield  
PENEITH, ALICIA FANNY, West Kirby, Cheshire Aug 31 at 12 Off Rec, 25, Victoria st, Liverpool  
PERRY, JOSEPH MARY, Old Bailey Aug 31 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
POLLITT, THOMAS HOLLAND, Manley Park, nr Manchester Aug 30 at 2.30 Off Rec, Byrom st, Manchester  
PRICE, SEGERET CHANT, Birmingham, Commercial Traveller Sept 1 at 11.17, Corporation st, Birmingham  
ROBERTS, THOMAS, Glyncwry, Glam, Licensed Victualler Aug 31 at 12.30 117, St Mary st, Cardiff  
SCULLARD, CHARLES, John st, Bedford row, Licensed Victualler Aug 30 at 1 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
SHARP, ROBERT DALSTON, Pianoforte Dealer Aug 31 at 1 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st  
SIDWELL, GEORGE, Burton on Trent, Insurance Agent Aug 30 at 11.30 Off Rec, 40, St Mary's gate, Derby  
SOWDEN, WALTER, Bradford, Coal Merchant Aug 30 at 11 Off Rec, 31, Manor row, Bradford  
STAFFORD, HERBERT, Southsea, Grocer Aug 29 at 3.30 Off Rec, Cambridge jun, High st, Portsmouth  
TAYLOR, THOMAS, West Bromwich, Grocer Sept 4 at 12 County Court, West Bromwich  
TAYLOR, WILLIAM JOHN, Southampton, Estate Agent Aug 30 at 12 Off Rec, 172, High st, Southampton  
TODD, ROBERT, Birmingham, Hardware Merchant Aug 31 at 11.17, Corporation st, Birmingham  
VERITY, HARRY, Ilkley, York, Tobacconist Aug 30 at 11 Off Rec, 22, Park row, Leeds  
VIDAL, BEATRICE CHRISTINA, Cambridge ter, Hyde Park Aug 29 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st

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BERNSTINE, WOLF, Southsea, Tailor Portsmouth Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
BLACKBURN, JAMES EDWARD, Bradford, Woolstapler Bradford Pet July 24 Ord Aug 18  
BROLAND, FREDERICK ARCHIBALD, Peckham, Poulters, &c High Court Pet July 13 Ord Aug 18  
CLARKE, GEORGE ALFRED, Walthamstow High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
COATES, THOMAS Hillesden, Bucks, Farmer Banbury Pet July 27 Ord Aug 17  
EARNSHAW, HOLDEN, Halifax, Farmer Halifax Pet Aug 19 Ord Aug 19  
FALLE, ALBERT CHARLES, Upper Clapton, Commercial Traveller High Court Pet July 3 Ord Aug 19  
FIELDHOUSE, WILLIAM JOHN, Leyton High Court Pet July 31 Ord Aug 18  
GILLARD, SAMUEL, Crediton, Devon, Baker Exeter Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 17  
GOMERSALL, JAMES FRANCIS, Croydon, Commission Agent Croydon Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
HEGSTROM, WILLIAM HENRY, Aston juxta Birmingham, Slaters Birmingham Pet July 26 Ord Aug 18  
HOLMES, WILLIAM ALBERT, Putney, Florist Wandsworth Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
HOOKWAY, WILLIAM HENRY, and WALTER GEORGE HOOKWAY, Chudleigh, Devon, Millers Exeter Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
HUTCHINGS, CHARLES ALFRED, Winchester, Builder Winchester Pet Aug 1 Ord Aug 17  
JAMES, ARTHUR, Canton, Cardiff, Sailmaker Cardiff Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
LOCKETT, WILLIAM, Pendlebury, Lancs, Builder Salford Pet July 21 Ord Aug 17  
LOWE, WILLIAM PITMAN, Warmister, Wilts, Corn Dealer Frome Pet Aug 17 Ord Aug 17  
MARSHALL, RICHARD JOHN CLINCH, Bromley, Builder Croydon Pet Aug 10 Ord Aug 15  
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MILLS, ALFRED, Kingsland rd, High Court Pet Aug 1 Ord Aug 19  
MCGOWAN, DAVID HUGH, Australian av, Merchant High Court Pet Aug 3 Ord Aug 19  
MATHER, ARTHUR, Bradford, Accountant Bradford Pet July 14 Ord Aug 16  
MILTON, HENRY, Gravesend, Grocer Rochester Pet July 31 Ord Aug 18  
NOAKES, JAMES HENRY, St Leonards on Sea, Bricklayer Hastings Pet Aug 5 Ord Aug 19  
NORREYS, JAMES EDWARD, Poole, Dorset, Grocer Poole Pet July 26 Ord Aug 17

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NOTHAN, GEORGE, Pontypool, Draper Newport, Mon Pet July 28 Ord Aug 18  
 PENNELL, HARRY GEORGE, Harrow rd High Court Pet May 23 Ord Aug 17  
 PRICE, SIEGBERT CHANT, Birmingham, Commercial Traveller Birmingham Pet July 6 Ord Aug 19  
 PRIME, EDWARD, Colchester, Veterinary Surgeon Colchester Pet Aug 15 Ord Aug 18  
 RICHARDSON, EMMA SOPHIA, Huddersfield Huddersfield Pet July 21 Ord Aug 14  
 ROBERTS, LEONARD EBENEZER, Leaderhill st. Managing Director High Court Pet July 4 Ord Aug 17  
 SHAW, ROBERT, Dalton, Pianoforte Dealer High Court Pet July 17 Ord Aug 17  
 SMITH, ERNEST, Barwell, Leicester, Boot Manufacturer Leicester Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
 SMITH, ROBERT PERCY, and WILLIAM HORACE WRIGHT, King st, Cheapside, Tailors High Court Pet July 1 Ord Aug 19  
 STAFFORD, HERBERT, Southsea Grocer Portsmouth Pet Aug 18 Ord Aug 18  
 STEPHEN, JOHN THOMPSON, and ROBERT EDLIN, Leicester Leicester Pet March 29 Ord Aug 18  
 TAYLOR, J.W., Chesterfield, Publican Chesterfield Pet Aug 19 Ord Aug 19  
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